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### REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2003 ("Paper No. 7"), in the above-identified application. This response is being timely filed as a Petition for a one-month extension of time, up to and including July 10, 2003, including an authorization to charge fees, is being submitted herewith.

07/15/2008 VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF TAXES: Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of all pending claims and withdrawal of the Examiner's rejection, in light of the following remarks.

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